

SAYS BELGIANS SUFFER WITHOUT COMPLAINT

NEW YORKER RETURNS FROM DIRECT- ING RELIEF WORK AT LIEGE

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solutely Destitute.

London, Jan. 23.—(11:10 p. m.)—The impression I take away from Liege are of wonder that a people can suffer so much in silence and of admiration for the bravery which enables them to do it.

This statement was made today by Dr. P. H. Williams of New York, who at the suggestion of the Rockefeller foundation volunteered his services to direct the operations of the American commission for relief in Belgium at Liege and is now returning to America. Continuing, he said:

"The people of Belgium never complain, but they never laugh. Their stoicism, for that is the only word which describes their attitude, would mislead even trained observers into believing that everything was going on as usual. Under the surface, however, they feel inexpressible hatred because of their untold misfortunes and sufferings.

"In the province of Liege alone nearly 300,000 out of a population of 966,000 are absolutely destitute and dependent on the commission for food. In the principal towns, Liege, Verviers and Spa, distress is most acute because all the industries are closed. Practically the only exception is the coal mines, which are being worked three days a week to obtain fuel to keep the people from freezing. During the month I was in Liege it snowed or rained every day and when I left the province was covered with a thick blanket of snow.

"At Louvain and other places Belgian communal authorities are laying out boulevards and other municipal improvements planned long ago, simply to provide work for the people. They can keep this work going only three days a week and in payment men are given paper bonds which are not negotiable outside the community in which they live, although with them they can buy their rations of bread and soup.

"In small towns which have been destroyed men are being employed under the same system to pile up bricks which still litter the streets. All these operations are in the hands of relief committees.

"In the country districts of Liege province farmers are tilling the soil out they have no horses and they are being compelled to sell their cattle for slaughter as cattle fodder has been requisitioned for the cavalry. This has had two results. The first is that meat is cheaper in Liege than it is in New York and the second that the supply of milk is rapidly disappearing.

"At least 30,000 people line up once a day for bread and soup at twelve canteens established by the commission in Liege. You see no young men; there are only old men and women, children and cripples.

"Rich and poor all have to send for bread and all get the same supply. 'Rich' is a term of irony but I use it comparatively, to distinguish between the distressed and destitute. Think of steel magnates, university professors and well-to-do women accustomed to living luxuriously on investments which now bring in no income, being obliged to stand in a bread line.

DIRECTS THAT GENERAL NORIEL BE EXECUTED ON JANUARY 27

Governor General of Philippines Overrules Judge Revilla's Order Staying Execution—Was Convicted of Murder.

Manila, P. I., Jan. 23.—Governor General Francis Burton Harrison in an order today, directed that General Noriel, the insurgent leader who is one of the most prominent natives of the province of Cavite, be put to death on January 27th. The execution originally was set for January 12th but Judge Revilla, a native of Manila, issued a stay of execution.

Influential Filipinos exerted every effort on behalf of General Noriel, but Governor Harrison overruled Judge Revilla's order staying the execution and directed that the death sentence be carried out.

The pending measure abolishing capital punishment offers the only hope for the general.

Was Found Guilty of Murder.

Washington, Jan. 23.—General Noriel, the Filipino denied executive clemency by Governor General Harrison, was found guilty of murder for the killing of a native with whom he had quarreled at a cock fight. The stay of execution granted by the court to permit appeal to the governor general set the execution for January 27th in case pardon or commutation was denied.

The murder for which General Noriel was sentenced to death was committed in 1902, it being alleged that he and two accomplices killed a political enemy. The trial which was sensational, was held at Manila in June, 1912.

General Noriel was found guilty and ordered executed. Two companions received sentences of life imprisonment.

Later the Filipino leader was granted a stay of execution.

The case of General Noriel had no connection with the abortive native uprising which occurred in Manila and its environs last December and which resulted in a score of natives being taken into custody.

General Noriel was a prominent support of General Emilio Aguinaldo, the leader if the revolt against the United States in 1901 and he commanded the Cavite insurgent forces in the attack upon Manila in that rebellion.

FEDERAL AUTHORITIES SUSPEND KILLING OF INFECTED ANIMALS

Government Decides to Proceed
With Disinfection of Farms
Where Cattle Has Been Slaughtered
and Will Then Cease Activities
For Present.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Dr. S. E. Bennett, federal veterinarian in charge of Illinois, told stockmen and state officials at a meeting at the stock yards, that federal authorities acting under orders from Washington have suspended the killing of animals infected with or exposed to hoof and mouth disease. A similar suspension order has been made by the state authorities according to Dr. Bennett.

The government had decided to proceed with the disinfection of farms where cattle had been slaughtered, Dr. Bennett told the gathering, which had been called to reassure cattle men the losses incurred in combatting the epidemic would not fall on the owners of the slain stock. The disinfection would be finished next Friday, Dr. Bennett said, and the government would then cease activities in Illinois for the time being.

MARIETTA SNYDER WILL APPEAR BEFORE PARDON BOARD TUESDAY

To Plead For Mother Who Was Recently Sent to Joliet on a Four Year Sentence For Conspiracy.

Springfield, Ills., Jan. 23.—Marietta Snyder, 16 year old daughter of Mrs. Marguerite M. Snyder, recently received at the woman's prison at Joliet on a four year sentence for conspiracy, will appear before the state board of pardons here next Tuesday in the interest of her mother's application for pardon. Mrs. Snyder's prosecution grew out of a claim which she made to heirs in the estate of a man named Roberts, who upon his death, left property in the state of Washington valued at nearly \$150,000.

Mrs. Snyder, when only two weeks old, was found upon the railroad tracks near her present home in the city of Rockford. Although her parentage always has been a mystery, she claimed that her mother was the sister of the deceased who left the large estate in Washington.

During the past week the pardon board has been flooded with letters from Rockford citizens urging the granting of the pardon as the only means of relieving the distress in the Snyder family of four children, and an invalid artist father.

TO RE-ORGANIZE CHAFFIN CO.

New York, Jan. 23.—Federal approval was given today of the reorganization of the failed dry goods corporation of the H. B. Chaffin company. The assets are sold to the Mercantile Stores corporation and the H. B. Chaffin corporation under terms by which non-accepting creditors 15 per cent in cash and the rest in notes guaranteed by the Mercantile Stores corporation. The total claims filed reached over \$45,000,000 and the court set the liquidation value of the assets at about \$13,500,000.

KILLS WIFE AND SUICIDES.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Jan. 23.—Charles F. Davis, a Pullman porter, there shot and killed his wife at their home here, probably fatally wounded their 14 year old son, shot James Brown, a roomer, in the head and then turned the pistol on himself, dying instantly. He is thought to have been insane. Brown may recover.

TO PENSION WIDOWERS

Phoenix, Ariz., Jan. 23.—Widowers over sixty years old with children and unable to earn a livelihood, will get a pension of \$15 a month for themselves and \$6 for each child, under the terms of a mother's pension bill passed today by the Arizona legislature.

HOLD JOINT FUNERAL FOR STRIKE VICTIMS

SEVERAL HUNDRED FOLLOW BODIES THROUGH RAIN TO CEMETERY

Union Hall Where Bodies are Taken
is Filled to Overflowing—Men Are
Admonished to Continue Peaceful
Measures—Investigators Return
to New York.

Roosevelt, N. J., Jan. 23.—Patrick P. Gill and Daniel T. O'Regan, investigators for the federal commission on industrial relations who have been assigned to the strike situation here, returned to New York tonight to consult with Chairman Frank P. Wash. Before leaving Roosevelt, Mr. Gill said they had seen officials of the American Agricultural and Chemical company, and that today they had no trouble gaining admittance to the plant. What questions were put to the officers, Mr. Gill declined to say. Both investigators will return on Monday.

At 2 p. m., the joint funeral of Deseidero Alejandro and Carmen Paty, the victims of the shooting on Tuesday, was held. Religious services were conducted at the church of their faith and afterwards the bodies were taken to the union hall. Long before the arrival of the bodies every inch of space in the building was occupied. The chairs were removed and all those present stood during the half hour service. The coffins were covered with flowers. A large wreath of red roses with a ribbon inscribed "sacrificed to the gummers of capitalism" was conspicuously addressed in which the dead men were termed the "martyrs of an awakening that will result in driving the gummers from the state of New Jersey."

The men at the meeting were admonished to continue peaceful measures in their conduct of the strike. Two horses bearing the bodies were followed to the cemetery by a crowd of several hundred men, women and children, marching through mud and rain to the music of a band. All along the line of march business houses were closed and bands drawn as the funeral passed.

The German attack in front of Warsaw has become less determined, while the armies in the Carpathians are snowbound.

The Austro-German military, observers believe, are preparing to turn their attention to the southeast where the Russians are marching on Transylvania.

The Muscovite forces already have met strong Austrian opposition.

Only minor engagements are reported, however, by the Russian general staff.

Reports of internal disaffection in Hungary continue. Three hundred peace meetings, said to have been arranged for today, are reported to have been prohibited. The resignation of the Austrian premier, Count Stuerkh, is said to be imminent and Herr Von Billinski, Austro-Hungarian minister of finance, has been mentioned as his probable successor.

None of the Tampico oil companies it is reported, will sign the agreement in its present form.

ARREST ISIDOR CORTES.

Mexico City, Jan. 23.—The inspector of police has arrested Isidore Cortes, who is accused of having fired the first shot at Gustavo Madero when the latter met his tragic death in the arsenal.

Chief interest in the war, so far as this country is concerned, centers at present in what action Great Britain may take in reference to the cotton ship Dacia, about to sail for Germany from Galveston, and the food laden Wilhelmina, now on her way to that country.

Washington expects both ships to be thrown into prize courts, but the state department has not announced what course will be pursued if the vessels are seized by warships.

Disposition of these cases is expected to establish precedents of great importance to American shippers.

DUNNE NAMES DELEGATES TO RIVER TERMINAL CONFERENCE

BRYAN MAY HAVE STATEMENT SOON REGARDING SULLIVAN CASE

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Jan. 23.—Governor Dunne today named the following delegates to the river terminal conference of Mississippi Valley states, to be held at St. Louis Feb. 18-19: Samuel Alischar, Aurora; E. J. Barklaw, Joliet; R. F. Bark, Lockport; Arthur C. Leach, Joliet; George P. Blow, LaSalle; J. Stanley Browne, Rockford; H. F. Dwyer, Minooka; N. W. Duncan, LaSalle; Wayne Hummer, LaSalle; E. S. Morahn, Sheridan; W. A. Panek, LaSalle; H. P. Simpson, Rock Island; H. N. Wheeler, Quincy; Henry B. Morgan, Fred H. Smith and R. O. Becker, Peoria; James T. Burnes, Kankakee; C. C. Tilton, Danville; Thomas M. Smythe, Chicago; Joseph M. Page, Jerseyville; Walter A. Shaw, Springfield; Bruce Campbell, East St. Louis; Arthur W. Charles, Carmi; B. J. McManus, Cairo; W. H. Johnson, Chicago; Lieut. Colonel William V. Judson, Chica- go.

POLICE SEARCH FOR HEIRESS AND UNIVERSITY STUDENT

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—The Chicago police are searching for Miss Jennie Seass, a 17 year old heiress and student at the University of Illinois, who disappeared a week ago from the Y. M. C. A. building at Urbana. The girl's uncle and guardian, George Miller, a mason and contractor of Sullivan, Illinois, told the police he believed she had ended her life. Until Miss Seass becomes of age Mr. Miller has charge of fortune which includes a farm and considerable money. Detectives traced Miss Seass to Chicago and she registered at a local hotel a week ago as Miss Ruth Sawyer of Sidell, Illinois. While there she wrote a letter to William E. Bell of Urbana, saying she was going to jump into the lake.

MAKES NEW WORLD'S RECORD.

New York, Jan. 23.—John J. Eller of the Irish-American Athletic club, established a new world's record in the 120 yard hurdles at the Brooklyn college games in the thirteenth regiment armory in Brooklyn tonight, making the distance of 14 seconds flat. The former record was 14.25 seconds, held by himself.

War News Summarized

OBREGON TO REMAIN LOYAL TO CARRANZA

DECLINES TO ACCEPT OVERTURES OF GENERAL EULALIO GUTIERREZ

Announcement is Made by Carranza Agency at Washington—Doubts Reported Capture of Puebla by Zapata Forces—Convention Representative Says City Has Been Taken.

Washington, Jan. 23.—General Alvaro Obregon has declined to accept overtures from General Eulalio Gutierrez to join the latter in an independent movement against Carranza and the Villa-Zapata coalition, but will remain loyal to Carranza, according to an announcement tonight by the Carranza agency here. As the message giving this information was said to be dated at Puebla, Jan. 22nd, the Carranza agency deduces there is no truth in the report that Puebla has been taken by the forces of General Zapata. Enrique C. Llorente, Washington representative of the convention government however, announced the receipt of a telegram also dated Puebla via Mexico City saying the Zapata forces had entered the city.

Under the provisions of a recent law wives of occupants of the home at Quincy may be admitted to the home and if the husbands die widows may continue to live at the home.

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National Child Labor Day.

Churches throughout the United States will today observe "Child Labor Day," in co-operation with the National Child Labor committee, which is campaigning for the wiping out of child labor during the present year. In sympathy with the Christian movement, the Jewish synagogues are today observing the event. On Monday the colleges and schools throughout the country will hold special exercises in appeal for the legal extermination of the practice of working children in commercial establishments.

That child labor burns up human life in the factory just exactly as the furnace burns up coal in the furnace room below is the plea on which the leaders in the movement hope to educate the legislatures throughout the country. And it is pointed out that the hard, underpaid labor done by women during long hours works evil to the future of the race, as has been shown to the world in the stunted bodies of Englishmen born after a period of unrestricted woman slave driving.

The text selected for sermons in thousands of Christian churches today is from Matthew xix, 2-6:

"And Jesus called a little child unto him, and set him in the midst of them.

"And said, Verily I say unto you: Except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven.

"Whosoever therefore shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

"And whosoever shall receive one such little child in my name receiveth me.

"But who shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea."

The Paramount Issue from the Women's Point of View.

While most men in Jacksonville probably look upon the question of "wet" and "dry" as absolutely settled so far as this city is concerned, it seems that this question is to be one of paramount importance with the women voters. The "dry" forces won out two years ago by a majority of more than twenty-four hundred, and this fact accounts for the "wet" and "dry" issue being a matter of history with most men. Many women, however, argue that if men with "wet" inclinations are elected to office, that in the matter of law enforcement they must struggle against their individual beliefs and inclinations.

The women feel that if a man is elected to office who believes the city would be better off with saloons and is a general advocate of the liquor traffic, that while he may feel to some extent the force of the oath he takes as an officer to enforce the law, that there will be a tendency that he cannot readily overcome to show leniency or to wink at violations of the liquor laws. The women feel, too, that while the question now has seemingly been settled for all time, that the future must be looked to. They say a period of law enforcement of law, a period when liquor was freely received and freely distributed in the city in defiance of law, would have the effect of making many people believe that if the laws against liquor were not to be enforced that the city might as well have revenue from saloons. Thus they point out that a set of "wet" officials might through their actions and general policy tend to increase the sentiment in favor of saloons and eventually this might have disastrous effects.

This point of view was outlined by a woman yesterday, who said: "We find in talking to women of the various wards that the question of dry and wet is uppermost in their minds with reference to the qualifications of candidates. When you talk to some women about the need of candidates who are efficient and who have had business experience, they reply that men they will vote for must be enemies of the saloon business. In the preliminary canvass which has been made and in the compilation of lists of women voters, on every hand we have seen evidence of this feeling: so it can be truthfully said that so far as the women are concerned, that the very first requisite for office in their estimation is the certainty that the candidates they support are unalterably opposed to the saloon and liquor interests. Satisfied upon this point, the women will then look for candidates who are men of standing and who have made a success in their own business.

"Some of the men may think that this position is foolish and perverse, and that the mere fact of "dryness" does not by any means fit a man for office. We will admit that this is true, but we also maintain that there are just as many, or more, capable and efficient 'dry' men than there are capable and efficient men

who represent the other side. So the women say, why not select five men for candidates who are capable and efficient, who have been successful in their own business and who are known to be friends of local option? Some of the women, too, take a broader view of the matter than one merely local, and feel that Jacksonville is looked upon as an example by many other cities. If it was announced to the state at large that the women of this city had so cast their vote that wet men had been elected to office, injury would be brought to the general cause of local option in other cities."

Speakership Greatly Involved.

A political writer maintains that the Illinois speakership contest is even more involved than appears on the surface. He says that ostensibly the fight is along wet and dry lines, but in reality the wet and dry only furnishes a cloak for a number of other important issues that are to be met at this session.

Insurance legislation offers probably the most important topic to be considered at this session. This now is involved with the speakership. Religious questions, which were important issues in the elections last fall, also have become entangled with the speakership, injection of these matters, and other things, into the speakership has served to intensify the situation rather than improve it.

Bee Inspector Next.

In these days of inspectors, the bee inspector is the very latest and such officials are now preparing to make trips into various counties in Illinois. The announced reason for this inspection work is to eliminate the "foul brood" disease which has gained a foothold in some bee colonies. It is said that only in recent years has a remedy for this disease been discovered and so the state has undertaken the benign work of "curing the bees."

The High Cost of Salvation.

The Rev. Charles Steizle, superintendent of the bureau of social service of the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions, writes in the February Woman's Home Companion an interesting article entitled, "Making the Church Do Real Work."

It is a practical talk on the business of the church and how it can best accomplish the work for which it was organized. Following is an extract from his article:

"It would be the average

church member to be told that the conversion of each new recruit for his church had cost just \$307.25 if this were true. And most of the members of the church in question would become indignant if they were criticized on account of the high cost of salvation when it was compared with a church in which the cost per conversion had amounted to only \$20.10.

"It isn't fair to consider the matter of conversion from the standpoint of dollars and cents, is the general attitude of the church workmen. And he is right. If the principles for which the church stands are true, then it doesn't matter how much it costs in money value to win men to the standards of the church, whether it be through conversion, confirmation, or whatever else may be the method of action.

"If it were possible to have each of the churches under consideration so organize their work as to make these amounts accomplish the same results for ten persons instead of one, would it not be right and proper to introduce the methods which would produce the best results for the money expended?

"There are some perfectly sincere, warm-hearted people who shudder at the thought of 'efficiency' or 'system' in the work of the church, because they like to do religious work joyously and spontaneously. They abhor the introduction of business principles into church life, because they believe that such work is too sacred to be defiled by the commercial spirit."

Unity of Purpose Will Help.

One of the candidates for commissioner in Springfield gives prominence to his announcement to the fact that he stands for an end of dissension and strife among council members and promises if he is elected to do everything possible to bring about a unity of purpose. The candidate no doubt means that he appreciates fully the value there is in co-operative action.

Certain it is that too much stress

cannot be laid upon this matter and the co-operative idea should have some consideration when voters are making up their minds as to whom they will support in the coming primary in Jacksonville. Men should be elected whose integrity and general standing not only entitles them to support, but men who are of such spirit and disposition that they can reasonably be expected to work with their associates for the common good of Jacksonville.

A well known citizen said yes-

terday that one of the greatest

things which could happen to Jack-

sonville would be a real awakening

as to the need and advantage of co-operation.

Citizens as a rule have high ideals as to what a city

should do, but it is nevertheless true

that in the past there have often

arisen such differences of opinion

over comparatively minor matters

that no advances were made at all

as a result. A keen appreciation of

what can be accomplished by unison

of action will do more for the city

than almost any other one thing.

This principle applies not only to

city government but to other matters as well.

It was pointed out at a recent

meeting of a literary club, when the

chamber of commerce was discussed,

that the lack of co-operation is

the rock upon which many such orga-

nization come to grief. Often

there is lack of co-operation among

the members of a chamber of com-

merce or business men's organization which seriously interferes with its activities and value, and still more often leaders in this organization fail to have the support of city authorities.

A chamber of commerce is supposed to represent the best thought and endeavor of the business men of any community and for that reason it seems entirely logical to expect that such an organization shall work in entire sympathy and accord with a city government.

If a city government and a business men's organization do not, or cannot, work together then something is the matter with either one or the other. There may be mere jealousies or there may be some fundamental principle on which the differences are founded, but the results are all the same and are undesirable.

Occasionally one hears the question: why does not the Jacksonville chamber of commerce let its influence be felt for some certain candidates in the coming city election? Such questioners have overlooked the fact that a clause in the constitution of the chamber of commerce makes it absolutely impossible for the organization to take part in any political matter. There are those who believe that such a clause interferes with one of the largest and most important works that the organization could attempt. They say "What possibly could be of more importance, of more moment to the business men than the character and competency of the men they are to elect to hold city office?" The argument is made that especially under the commission form of government that without known organization a great many voters seem to be somewhat in the dark and are really at a loss to know whom they think are the men best fitted for office. Further it is claimed if the chamber of commerce recognized it as a duty to take a part in such affairs the very fact that the organization openly supported some list of candidates would result in open and public arguments in behalf of certain candidates and against others.

While the commission form of government requires do open the way for all candidates to come before the people, it does not present the same amount of publicity with reference to the qualities or characteristics of the candidates that the old system had, and while there are people who believe that the chamber of commerce could undertake no better work than in endeavoring to lead in movements for the selection of the better candidates, there are others who are firmly grounded in the belief that any such political action would ring the death knell for the chamber of commerce. They believe that first of all the chamber of commerce should devote itself to bettering business conditions in the city, and if possible, securing enterprises which will tend to enlarge the commercial life of the city. They figure that as a second undertaking that general civic upbuilding should be considered, and that these two things should embrace practically all of the activities of the organization.

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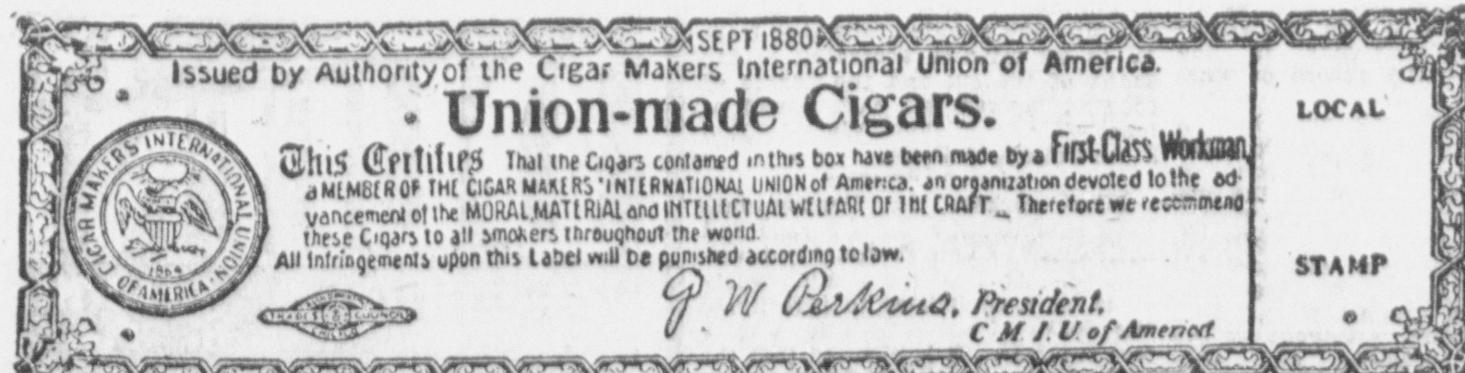
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CITY AND COUNTY

J. H. Dial was in the city yesterday from Murrayville.

A. E. Tate of St. Louis was trading in the city yesterday.

Miss Edna Hutchins was in the city yesterday from Franklin.

John Snyder was in Jacksonville Saturday from Alexander.

Miss Frankie Gordon of Concord was in the city yesterday.

R. J. Dye of Eureka, Ill., was a guest in the city yesterday.

Miss Lena Carpenter is visiting friends in Springfield today.

Louis Perle of Markham was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Elmer Newby of Nortonville was a Saturday visitor in the city.

C. C. Young of Arcadia was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Sarah Seymour was in the city from Franklin Saturday.

Henry Norfleet of Arnold was shopping in the city Saturday.

Fred Burch of Franklin was in the city on business yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Zeller of Alexander is a visitor in Jacksonville.

Eugene Hart of Prentiss was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

Compound Syrup, White Pine and Spruce for coughs and colds for sale only at Gilbert's Pharmacy.

Carl May of Lynville was a business visitor in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Minnie E. Weiss of Bluffs was shopping in the city Saturday.

John Wilkinson of Woodson visited with city friends yesterday.

W. J. Woods of Alexander was a guest in Jacksonville yesterday.

Wilbur Keenan of Alexander was in the city Saturday on business.

H. C. Hurd of Indianapolis was in Jacksonville on business yesterday.

Mrs. Mary McCracken of Manchester spent Saturday in Jacksonville.

Miss Mary Conlon of Murrayville was Saturday shopper in the city.

Mrs. Paul Breckon of Woodson was a visitor in the city yesterday.

E. Galley of Peoria was transacting business in Jacksonville Saturday.

Charles Kitner of Murrayville was among the Saturday visitors in the city.

W. A. Williams of Decatur was transacting business in the city Saturday.

V. W. Huffman of Hillerby is visiting his parents in Elkhart, Ill., today.

L. G. Stewart of Sinclair was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Whalen of Girard was in the city Saturday on her way to Beardstown to spend Sunday with relatives.

J. W. Lathom of Wodson was in the city Saturday.

James Dobyns of Orleans was a business caller in Jacksonville Saturday.

Michael Casey of Murrayville was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Ned Greenleaf of Alexander was transacting business in the city Saturday.

Prof. G. W. Brown is here from Kankakee to spend a few days at home.

Miss Ilene Smith of Springfield was among the Saturday shoppers in the city.

Allen R. Sturdy of Woodson was a business caller in Jacksonville Saturday.

Frank Colwell of the J. B. S. is spending Sunday with his mother in Alexander.

Edgar Watson was transacting business in the city Saturday from Lynnville.

Joseph Flagg and sister Pearl of Lynnville were visitors in the city Saturday.

Thomas Cocking of Alexander was in the city yesterday attending to business.

Creme Balm, the only lotion for chapped hands and roughness of the skin, 25c. Gilbert's Pharmacy.

Mrs. W. E. Coulter was a representative of Lynnville in the city Saturday.

Miss Lana McPhail is spending the day with home folk in Mt. Sterling.

Miss Leota Dameron of Chandler was a visitor Saturday in Jacksonville.

William E. McCurley of Woodson was transacting business in the city Saturday.

Miss Mamie Corrington of Alexander is spending the day in Jacksonville.

Miss Kate McCarty was among the shoppers from Alexander in the city Saturday.

Wilbur E. Keenan of Alexander was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

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Jewell Scott expects to spend the day in Rees Station at the home of Richard Whalen.

Mrs. E. J. Edmonds of Alexander was trading with Jacksonville merchants Saturday.

S. W. Chaliner and H. C. Chaliner were in the city yesterday from Joy Prairie.

Commissioner Roegge of Meredosia was a business visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

William Davidson and family of Joy Prairie were shoppers in Jacksonville Saturday.

W. L. Lazebry of Lynville precinct was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff Gleason of Springfield was a business visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

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Mrs. W. E. Strawn of Nortonville was among the Saturday business callers in Jacksonville Saturday.

Samuel Estlin of near Joy Prairie was trading with Jacksonville merchants Saturday.

Charles Strawn of Alexander was a business visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

James Moy and family were in Jacksonville yesterday from the Salem neighborhood.

Miss Isabel Kunkle of Alexander was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

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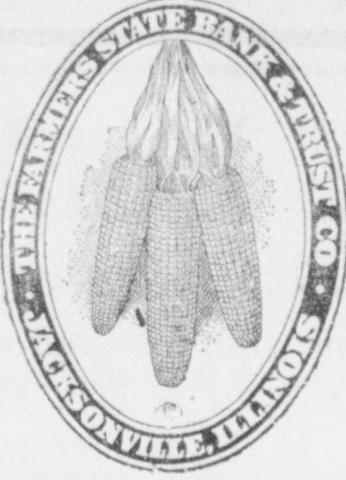
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42x36 inch Bleached Pillow Cases are now.....	8c
One lot of Standard Calicoes marked to close at, yard.....	3c
Children's 50c Union Suits, special this week at.....	43c

\$2.00, \$2.25 and \$3.00 Ladies' Shirt Waists; your choice	98c
while they last for only....	

Full Standard Apron Ginghams, fast colors, at yard.....	5c
36 inch Bleached Muslin, an extra value, now at yard.....	5c
42 inch Pillow Tubing, special in Red Tag sale at.....	13c
50c Phoenix Mufflers, cotton, are now offered at.....	19c



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35c 3 1-2-lb. jar Bismarck Peach Preserves	.25c
20c 2 1-2-lb. can Ideal Apricots	.15c
20c 2 1-2-lb. can Hubbard Squash	.10c
25c Bottle White Horse Catsup	.15c
15c 1-lb. can Ripe Olives, 3 for	.25c
50c Can Log Cabin Maple and Cane Syrup	.35c
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30c Pound Candied Citron	.20c
30c Pound Shredded Cocoanut	.20c
Pure Breakfast Cocoa in bulk, per pound	.20c
Double Dip (500 in box) Matches, 3 for	.10c
3 Cans Kitchen Cleanser	.10c
16-oz. Package Seeded Raisins (4 Crown)	.10c
2 Bars Palm Olive Soap	.15c
3 lbs. California Evaporated Peaches	.25c
Rio Coffee, our price per pound	.15c
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Pure Lard, 2 lbs. for	.25c
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WEDNESDAY

HOUNDED—A melodrama in 2 parts featuring Ben Wilson and Francis Nelson.

THURSDAY—Special

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Literature.

Barrie—Quality Street. A delightful comedy illustrated by Hugh Thompson.
Lamb—Tales from Shakespeare. A new edition of this classic notable for its illustrations by Arthur Rackham.

Riley—Lockerbelle Book. Contains a collection of poems not in dialect.

Regular Fiction.

Aldrich—Stillwater Tragedy. This is Thomas Bailey Aldrich's most elaborate novel. A murder and the detection of the murderer furnish the motive. The various aspects of life in a manufacturing village, the passions and calamities of a strike are realistically depicted; and a love story introduces an element of romance."—Baker's guide to the Best Fiction.

Doyle—Adventures of Gerard. Exciting tales of the Napoleonic campaigns told by the droll and boastful Brigadier Gerard.

Dumas—The Two Dianas. A poignant romance of the life of a brilliant Montreal barrister who wanders temporarily crazed into a French Canadian village.

In addition to these books, a number of replace titles have been added to the library.

Rent Fiction.

Dawson—The Raft.

Man Vorst—Big Tremain.

Watts—Rise of Jennie Cushing.

LYNNVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Moore have returned home after a visit with relatives and friends in Winchester.

Mrs. S. W. Heaton left Thursday for Los Angeles, Calif., where she will visit her son, H. L. Heaton. Foster Shepherd has returned home after a visit with friends in Virden.

Clark Hills of Franklin spent Sunday with his grandfather, Geo. Hills and family.

The Lynnville band gave a box supper at the hall. There were 24 boxes and the sum of \$18.45 was raised for the band.

The young people are giving a play for the band in the near future.

Miss Susie Dickinson has been visiting at the home of John Boddy near Markham.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lazenby entertained a few young people at their home Saturday evening.

Mrs. John Dodsworth who fell and dislocated her shoulder, some few days ago, is improving.

Joe Figg and Foster Sheppard attended the show in Jacksonville Thursday evening.

Sunday, Mr. Härney was called to Jacksonville by the illness of his father.

Several of the young people enjoyed the Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Fligg.

HARVARD TO AID BELGIAN PROFESSORS

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 23.—The Harvard University corporation has set aside \$100,000 to aid Belgian professors who have been driven from their own land by warfare. It is believed that the Harvard faculty will come to Cambridge at the beginning of the next college year to take charge of courses at Harvard and during their stay in the Woods kept a daily record of what transpired.

Each member took with her a guest and at the program's close all enjoyed a picnic luncheon. A guessing contest of which the answers to questions were the names of trees, was held. Miss Fairbank gave of the forest an excellent description and mentioned the precautions taken against fires. Miss Georgia Fairbank, president of the organization, presided and Miss Josephine Morey served as secretary.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 23.—Zero temperatures continue to prevail in Western Missouri and Kansas while Oklahoma and Texas experienced temperatures well below freezing. Snows, in some districts the heaviest in years, covered most of the southwest. Train and wire service however was almost normal.

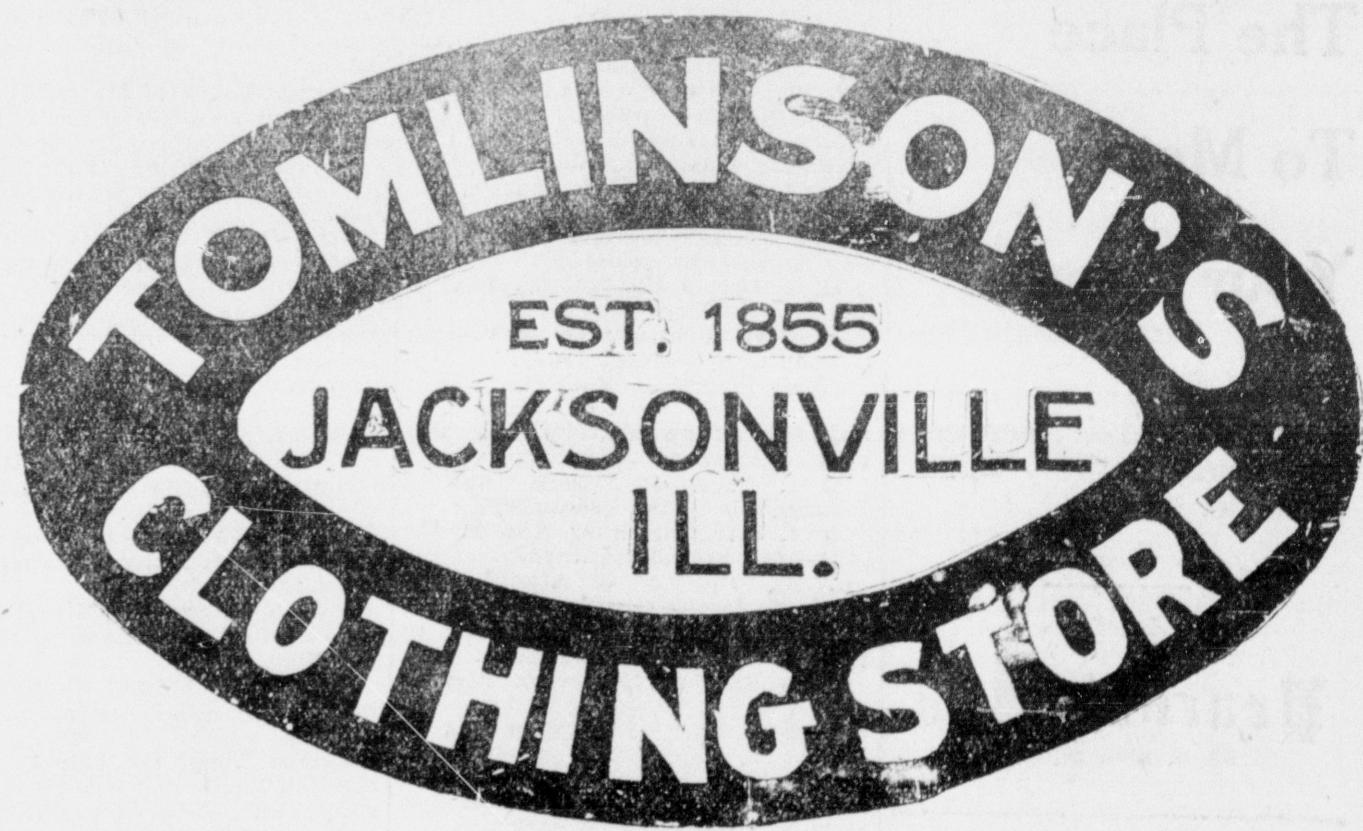
CONTINUE ZERO TEMPERATURES

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Miss Mary Wadsworth announced the engagement of her sister, Miss Alice Farrell Wadsworth, to Dr. Alpha Bowers Applebee, at an informal luncheon given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crabtree, 605 West State street, Saturday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock. All the appointments were made in a simple manner and the dining table was decorated with hyacinths and Kilnary roses. The announcement was made through place cards bearing the inscription "Applebee-Wadsworth, June 1915". These cards were contained in small corsage bouquets.

Miss Wadsworth is the eldest daughter of the late Harry Wadsworth and is a popular and talented young woman, having a broad acquaintance. Dr. Applebee is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Applebee of Cuba, Ill., and is a dentist, having purchased the business of Dr. G. H. Koperl, two years ago. Aside from his profession he has farming interests and is a young man of unquestionable ability and progressive in ideas.

The guests at the luncheon were Miss Mildred Applebee, Cuba; Miss Nelle Taylor, New Berlin; Miss Elson Barnes, Miss Edith Jordan, Miss Ethel Wilder, Miss Eleanor Cappa and Miss Millicent Rowe.



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"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Bad
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Relief comes instantly.
A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

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Get a 10-cent box now.

That awful sourness, belching of acid and foul gases; that pain in the pit of the stomach, the heartburn, nervousness, nausea, bloating after eating, dizziness and sick headache means a disordered stomach, which can not be regulated until you remove the cause. It isn't your stomach's fault. Your stomach is as good as any.

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Fluffy and Luxuriant
At Once.

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Dandrine.

Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scourf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandrine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Est. of Thomas H. Cully, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administratrix of the estate of Thomas H. Cully, late of the county of Morgan and state of Illinois, hereby give notice that he will appear before the county court of Morgan county, at the court house in Jacksonville, at the April term, on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of January, A. D. 1915.

Emma D. Cully,
Administratrix.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Helen T. Laurie, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of Helen T. Laurie, late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House in Jacksonville, at the March Term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All parties indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 8th day of January, A. D. 1915.

Andrew Russel, Executor.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Hunter of Baltimore, Md., who have been visiting their niece, Mrs. Sherman Leavitt of 1036 Grove street, left Thursday afternoon for Baltimore.

Two Vermonters In The West

Careers of Stephen A. Douglas and Rev. Truman Post, Were Notable In History

W. D. Wood recently read the following paper before the Congregational Brotherhood. It is written in Mr. Wood's excellent style and the joint theme was one of great interest:

Two years ago the centenary of Stephen A. Douglas was observed, and the salient points of life that began in Vermont in 1813, and ended at Chicago in 1861, were brought out. The interesting fact appeared that his father, a physician, was a graduate of Middlebury College, and it was hoped the son might also be educated there, but this hope was destined not to be realized. The mention of the little Vermont college suggested the debt of our college and our town to one who was educated there, and who became an educator to the youth who sought Illinois college.

So I shall try to say something about the two Vermonters who early made this town their home. But it is with the intent to advert to certain more or less interesting features of local history, with them as participants, and their relation to history in its wider aspects and with its larger questions, and not at all to point a moral, or make comparisons or mark distinctions.

The westering impulse brought Truman M. Post to Jacksonville in the spring of 1833, and Stephen A. Douglas in the fall of the same year, both having made St. Louis a stopping place on the way. The earlier newcomer was the older by three years, and was four years out of college. Teaching had engaged his attention, but his thought was toward the law and his studies took that direction. He was in the city of Washington in the winter of 1832 to 33, and there met Joseph Duncan, then representative in congress, later governor of Illinois. It was to visit this friend that he came to Jacksonville, expecting to return to St. Louis to begin his career as a lawyer. He was admitted to the bar in June, 1833, as evinced by the certificate of Samuel D. Lockwood, one of the judges of the supreme court of Illinois.

Recalling his early impressions and experiences here, he says: "I remember my pleasant introduction to the society of the town, and especially the legal fraternity; the first party I attended after my arrival, where I met eight ladies and forty-seven gentlemen, among whom were those destined afterwards to wide public celebrity, social or political, and some whose names have become of national historic interest. One of the guests, a little, dapper young man, brought to me a picture of the Acropolis as something rare amid our surroundings in that far land. The man afterwards known to the country as Stephen Douglas, was then engaged in teaching a common school."

Young Post's decision to accept the tender of a position on the teaching force of Illinois college operated to set aside the plans looking toward a lawyer's career, and though at the time it was regarded in the light of a postponement only, it proved to mean a definite giving up of that ambition.

The arrival of Douglas here at the age of twenty, alone, friendless, almost penniless, suggests certain points of resemblance and of contrast to the earlier comer that occur to the mind readily and need not be stated. He at once made the acquaintance of Murray McConnel who became and always remained to him "guide, philosopher and friend." Teaching offered the most promising opportunity to meet a pressing need for money, and through the friendly aid of E. G. Miner, a fellow-Vermont, leading local merchant at Winchester, he secured a school there. The law studies, begun before coming west, were continued while teaching in Winchester, and in 1834, when hardly twenty-one, he was admitted to the bar in Jacksonville and here began the practice of law.

Early in the fourteen year period beginning with his election to the senate, the politician developed phenomenal capacity for the business of legislation. This had already been foreshadowed while a member of the House, and before, but the advance was steady and uninterrupted and won for him public recognition. His capacity for work was enormous. It was not alone his unrivaled power as a debator, but the ability to get his ideas embodied in laws and to be chiefly instrumental in enacting them that helped make him not only conspicuous but influential. In 1850 his Illinois Central railroad measure was passed—his most statesmanlike act, and one of the wisest acts of practical statesmanship ever enacted into law. But as an exhibition of sheer intellectual force and legislative power his passage of the Kansas-Nebraska bill, with its repeal of the Missouri compromise, and its declaration in favor of popular (or squatter) sovereignty, stands unmatched and alone. It proved his undoing, even though at the time it seemed to be a notable achievement. He failed to sense public opinion on the slavery question, and in missing the goal of his ambition he paid the penalty of his mistake in judgment and his inability to read the signs in the political heavens.

But he who became a presidential possibility before he was forty, and was a candidate in three national conventions and the nominee of one, though defeated on election day, triumphed gloriously later. When the emergency came, the great occasion, the partisan was the patriot, outspoken, uncompromising, defiant. In the epochal contest of 1860 Douglas more than anyone else realized that the union was in danger. When secession came and war followed his acts and utterances are described by one not too friendly to Douglas—the man still living who was the reporter and later the historian of the Lincoln-Douglas debates of 1858.

Douglas had placed himself at Lincoln's service in all efforts to uphold the constitution and enforce the laws against the disunionists. He returned from Washington early in April to get in touch with his con-

stituents, ready to act promptly as events might turn out. It turned out that the Confederates struck the first blow in the Civil War by bombarding Fort Sumter. This was the signal for Douglas' last and greatest political and oratorical effort. The state legislature, then in session, invited him to address them on the present crisis, and he responded on the 25th of April in a speech which made Illinois solid for the union. The writer was one of the listeners to that speech and he cannot conceive that any orator of ancient or modern times could have surpassed it. Douglas seized upon his hearers with a kind of titanic grasp and held them captive, enthralled, spellbound for an immortal hour. He was the only man who could have saved southern Illinois from the danger of internece war. The southern counties followed him now as faithfully and as unanimously as they had followed him in previous years, and sent their sons into the field to fight for the union as numerously and bravely as those of any other section of the state or of the country. Douglas had only a few more days to live. He was now forty-eight years of age, but if he had survived forty-eight more he could never have surpassed that eloquence or exceeded that service to the nation, for he never could have found another like occasion for the use of his astounding powers.

The professor was destined to outlive the politician by twenty-five years.

With no unsatisfied ambitions, no wasted energies, no unconserved resources, "the voice obeyed as we obeyed at prime," the professor and the preacher merged into the sage and the saint, until well advanced in years, death closed a useful and fruitful life.

As stated at the outset, this subject is not adverted to with the intent to make comparisons or venture interpretations, but chiefly to recall and renew local interest touching the lives of two interesting characters who, starting here, attained eminence and influence. It is said Vermont is a good state to be born in; but that it is reserved for her sons who answer the call of the West to develop the highest qualities and gain widest influence is evidenced by the life story of two Vermonters who in 1833 began their life work in Jacksonville.

In the fourteen years next following was included the trying and testing decade from 1850 to 1860, with the Clay compromises at one end and secession at the other. The professors removal to St. Louis gave him a higher platform from which to speak, and gave to his voice greater carrying power, and as preacher, lecturer, writer and speaker he won eminence and wide influence. But the act of greatest moment was that which had to do with the founding of the First Congregational church in St. Louis early in 1852. The record of his own life work and the history of Trans-Mississippi Congregationalism are closely inter-related, and in the opinion of some of his friends the association worked greatly to the advantage and uplifting of both. But in St. Louis both ecclesiastical and political questions were pressing, and they were baffling also. When division of the union was imminent in no other city was the situation so trying. 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Sunday

Band Concert TODAY

Grand Opera House Promptly at 3 P. M.

Fourth of the Series of
Benefit Band Concerts.

Jeffries Concert Band

The object is to aid the band in renewing and preserving its organization, as has already been explained.

No admission charged at the door, but a free-will offering will be taken up.

STATE HOSPITALS MEDICAL SOCIETY TO MEET

Ten Days Session Will Be Held at
Kankakee This Week.

The next meeting of the Illinois State Hospital Medical Association will be held at the Kankakee State Hospital next Thursday and Friday, Jan. 28th and 29th. The president of the association is Dr. Edward A. Foley of this city, Dr. Charles F. Read, vice president, and Dr. C. C. Ellis, secretary.

The following will be the program of the meeting.

Thursday, Jan. 28th, 1915.

Afternoon session—

Call to order 1:30 p. m.

Presentation of Papers.

Meeting of House of Delegates at 5 p. m.

Evening session, 7:30 p. m.—

Friday, Jan. 29th.

9 a. m. Completion of Program, Presentation of Cases and Specimens.

Report of House of Delegates.

Program: Cerebral Syphilis—W. A. Ford, M. D., Watertown.

Synopsis of Cases treated in Watertown State Hospital.

Lumbar Puncture—E. J. Stricker, M. D., Jacksonville.

Practical Observations made in a series of two hundred punctures at the Jacksonville State Hospital.

Treatment of Paroxysms by Lumbar Injections of Neo Salvarsan—Chas. F. Read, M. D., Chicago.

Development of the method.

Results reported by others.

Writers' Cases.

Conclusions.

Preliminary Note on Bladder Findings in General Paralysis—H. L. Kraft, M. D., Peoria.

The Care and Treatment of Epileptics—D. L. Fish, M. D., Kankakee.

Address—William Healy, M. D., Chicago.

Human Inbreeding—C. H. Caldwell, M. D., Lincoln.

Line breeding and inbreeding defined.

Percentage of consanguinity of parents out of a total of thirty-four hundred children.

Comparison of parents and offspring in cases.

Conclusions.

Criticisms on the Admissions to Chester State Hospital—L. F. Frenzel, M. D., Chester.

Preliminary statement.

Recently Secured an Interest in the Business by Purchase—Has Been in the Store For Long Period.

F. H. PLOUER NOW MEMBER
F. J. WADDELL & CO. FIRM.

Frank H. Plouer has secured an interest in the firm of F. J. Wadell & Co. Mr. Plouer was for years with the Hoffman Bros. and when they sold out, five years ago to the present firm he was retained in a responsible position and is now buyer and manager of six departments of the first floor. Mr. Plouer has a host of friends who will congratulate him on his admission to the firm which is accounted one of the most successful in Jacksonville.

A few suggestions.

Demonstration of Nerve Cells and of Neuroglia Cells—Charles Ricksher, M. D., Psychopathic Institute.

ANOTHER BOOST FOR NO. 243.

Ten New Members to Be Initiated in Urania Lodge I. O. O. F. Monday Night.

CAUGHT FROM FLUE.

It is now thought that the flames which destroyed the West Liberty school near Markham originated from sparks from the flue, as the fire was first discovered in the roof and the walls and floor of the building were the last to be consumed by the fire.

Another step toward that five hundred mark so coveted by Urania Lodge No. 243, I. O. O. F., is to be taken Monday night when ten new members, already voted on and accepted are to be initiated. The crack degree team is to do the work and a feature of the occasion will be music by the eight piece orchestra, wholly composed of members of the lodge.

A good many visitors have been invited and a fine time is anticipated. These ten will make forty-four new members within thirty days and the lodge confidently anticipates the five hundred mark before a very long time as it is increasing in popularity daily.

LEAGUE WILL MEET.

The executive board of the Jacksonville Civic League will meet at the Second Baptist church, South West street Monday evening at 8 o'clock. On Tuesday evening the Jacksonville Civic League will meet at Mt. Emory church, at 8 o'clock.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

A. Clare McQuown, Roodhouse; Julia Curtis, Manchester.

H. N. Green of White Hall was among the business callers in the city Saturday.

ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES.

The regular College Devotional service will be held in the library at Academy Hall Sunday evening at 6:30. The leader will be Ernest F. Alford. Earl S. Pond will sing a solo. The meeting last Sunday evening was led by Miss Miriam Akers Dean Cephran played a violin solo. These meetings are proving to be of unusual interest and are being very largely attended. At the meeting last Sunday, the following committee was appointed to take general charge of future meetings: Miriam C. Akers, chairman; Hansel D. Wilson; Robert A. Butcher; Clyde Land and Principal Walter Leslie Harris. Another representative of the college girls will be added to this committee.

President Rammelkamp was in White Hall on Tuesday and addressed the White Hall Brotherhood at their monthly supper. Among those present were W. M. Poits, '57, and the Reverend Arthur F. Ewert, '04.

General John I. Rinaker, whose death occurred a short time ago, was a student in Illinois College from 1849 to 1850. He was a member of Phi Alpha.

Professor Sherman Leavitt has been elected to the vestry of Trinity Episcopal church.

Word has been received from the Secretary of the Harvard University Medical school that the Hiltom scholarships for the year 1914-15 have been awarded to C. B. Sprout, '08, and F. G. Norbury, '12.

The Reverend Wilton R. Boone, representing the Noxubee Industrial School for colored people at McLeod, Mississippi, addressed the students at the Chapel exercises Thursday morning. He gave a very interesting account of the work of the Noxubee school.

Two speakers of prominence and ability will make addresses at the College Chapel exercises in the near future. Dr. George N. Lucecock, of Oak Park, will speak on Thursday, February 4th and Dr. Graham Taylor, President of the Chicago Commons, will speak on Monday morning, February 8th. Both speakers are invited on the Reverend George L. Roberts Foundation.

Address—William Healy, M. D., Chicago.

Human Inbreeding—C. H. Caldwell, M. D., Lincoln.

Line breeding and inbreeding defined.

Percentage of consanguinity of parents out of a total of thirty-four hundred children.

Comparison of parents and offspring in cases.

Conclusions.

Preliminary Note on Bladder Findings in General Paralysis—H. L. Kraft, M. D., Peoria.

The Care and Treatment of Epileptics—D. L. Fish, M. D., Kankakee.

Address—William Healy, M. D., Chicago.

Development of the method.

Results reported by others.

Writers' Cases.

Conclusions.

Preliminary statement.

Recently Secured an Interest in the Business by Purchase—Has Been in the Store For Long Period.

F. H. PLOUER NOW MEMBER
F. J. WADDELL & CO. FIRM.

Frank H. Plouer has secured an interest in the firm of F. J. Wadell & Co. Mr. Plouer was for years with the Hoffman Bros. and when they sold out, five years ago to the present firm he was retained in a responsible position and is now buyer and manager of six departments of the first floor. Mr. Plouer has a host of friends who will congratulate him on his admission to the firm which is accounted one of the most successful in Jacksonville.

A few suggestions.

Demonstration of Nerve Cells and of Neuroglia Cells—Charles Ricksher, M. D., Psychopathic Institute.

ANOTHER BOOST FOR NO. 243.

Ten New Members to Be Initiated in Urania Lodge I. O. O. F. Monday Night.

CAUGHT FROM FLUE.

It is now thought that the flames which destroyed the West Liberty school near Markham originated from sparks from the flue, as the fire was first discovered in the roof and the walls and floor of the building were the last to be consumed by the fire.

Another step toward that five hundred mark so coveted by Urania Lodge No. 243, I. O. O. F., is to be taken Monday night when ten new members, already voted on and accepted are to be initiated. The crack degree team is to do the work and a feature of the occasion will be music by the eight piece orchestra, wholly composed of members of the lodge.

A good many visitors have been invited and a fine time is anticipated. These ten will make forty-four new members within thirty days and the lodge confidently anticipates the five hundred mark before a very long time as it is increasing in popularity daily.

LEAGUE WILL MEET.

The executive board of the Jacksonville Civic League will meet at the Second Baptist church, South West street Monday evening at 8 o'clock. On Tuesday evening the Jacksonville Civic League will meet at Mt. Emory church, at 8 o'clock.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

A. Clare McQuown, Roodhouse; Julia Curtis, Manchester.

H. N. Green of White Hall was among the business callers in the city Saturday.

CITY AND COUNTY

Wm. E. Bryant of Pisgah was a city visitor yesterday.

W. T. Sample of Sinclair made a trip to the city yesterday.

Arthur Johnson of Sinclair made a trip to the city yesterday.

E. R. Black of New Berlin was an arrival in the city yesterday.

F. M. Kinzel of Naples was trading in Jacksonville Saturday.

B. C. Brahville of Naples was in the city yesterday on business.

Elmer Smith of Arcadia was in the city yesterday on business.

Harry Craig of Woodson was a visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

Earl Sorrells of Woodson was a caller in Jacksonville yesterday.

George Holly of Arnold was in Jacksonville Saturday on business.

Floyd Martin of the north part of the county visited the city yesterday.

Clyde Martin helped represent Sinclair precinct in the city yesterday.

P. H. Hinds of Peoria was a caller in the city yesterday on business.

J. W. Duranter of Chicago was in Jacksonville Saturday on business.

Fred Stewart and Rex Gary were visitors in Woodson Saturday evening.

S. V. Palmer of Chicago was a business caller in Jacksonville Saturday.

H. A. Mollers of New York was calling on local merchants Saturday.

Earl Beavers of Literberry was a caller on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Charles Irlam of the south part of the county was a city caller yesterday.

C. P. Henderson of Literberry visited his Jacksonville friends yesterday.

M. J. O'Brien of Quincy was a business visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

J. W. Dewitt of Griggsville was in the capital of Morgan county yesterday.

G. W. Muckley of Kansas City was transacting business in Jacksonville Saturday.

A. J. Johnson of Murrayville was calling on Jacksonville merchants Saturday.

Henry Laugher of Concord was transacting business in Jacksonville yesterday.

Luther Flynn of the north part of the county visited the county seat yesterday.

J. S. Barker of Prentice was among the business men in the city yesterday.

Miss Alma Story of Murrayville was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

Miss May Martin of the north part of the county was a city shopper yesterday.

Lewis H. Maul and family were residents of Literberry in the city yesterday.

Thomas Coulter of Murrayville was transacting business in Jacksonville Saturday.

William Willard of near Chapin was a business caller in Jacksonville Saturday.

James Hamilton of Naples was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.

Henry Oakes, of Bluff, was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.

Marcus A. Hulett of the vicinity of Antioch was a caller on city people yesterday.

William Allen of Lynnville precinct was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Elmer Smith of Grace Chapel neighborhood was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Bersig of west of town was trading with Jacksonville merchants Saturday.

G. W. Wilkerson of near Alexander was a business visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

Perry Henderson of near Literberry was a business caller in Jacksonville Saturday.

E. J. Henderson of the north part of the county visited yesterday with Jacksonville friends.

J. T. Holmes of the vicinity of Orleans was a business caller in the city yesterday.

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Mrs. Henry Bersig of west of town was shopping with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

John Halligan of Strawn's Crossing came down to the city on the morning train yesterday.

Charles Young of the northeast part of the county was among the business men in the city yesterday.

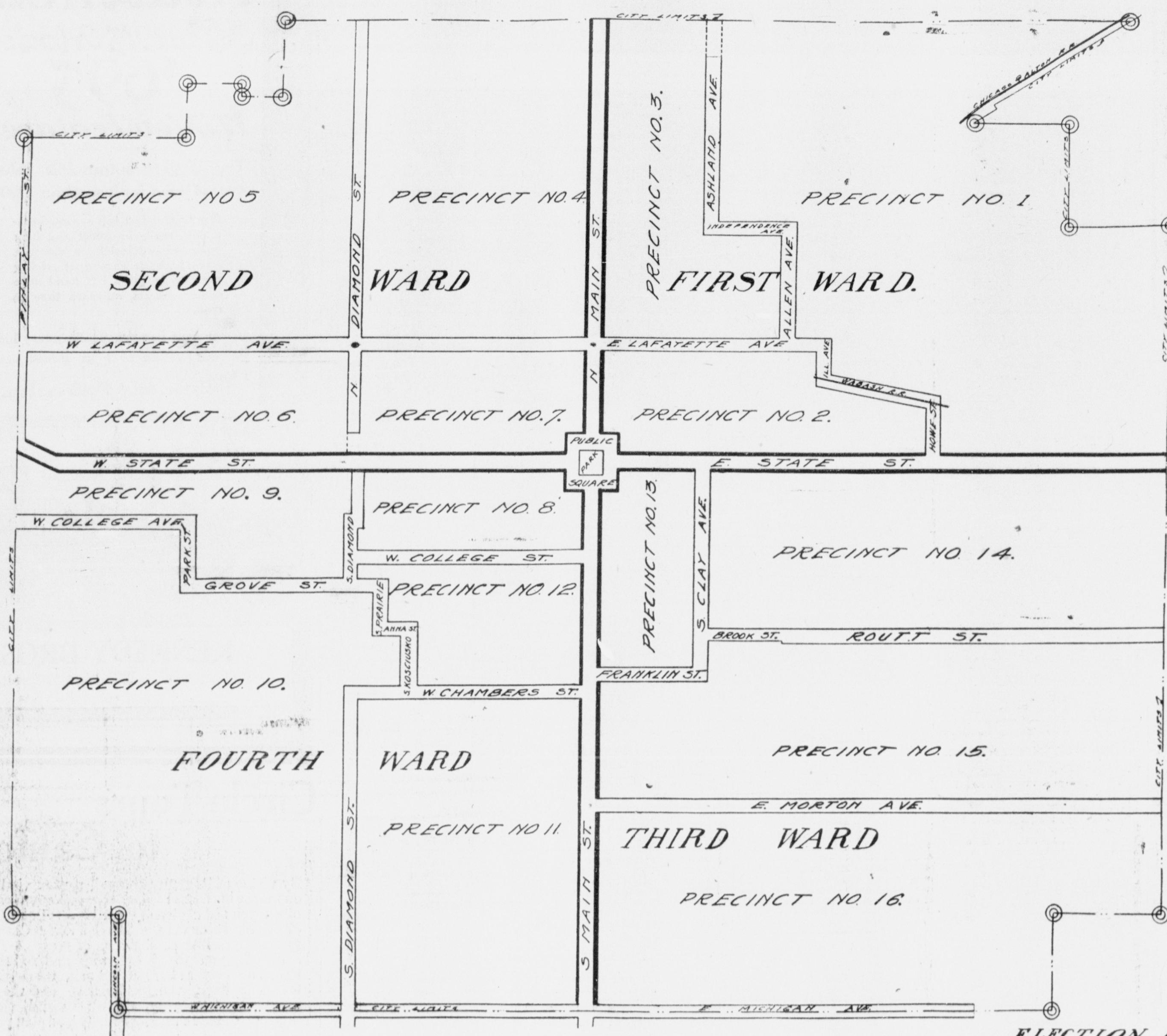
Mr. and Mrs. W. Chauncey Carter of the south part of the county, were among the city shoppers yesterday.

Peyton Bland and son, residents of Franklin precinct, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Miss Anna M. English of the high school faculty has gone to Bluff to visit friends till Monday morning.

C. S. Moslander, traveling auditor of the Alton at Mason City, was a business caller in the city yesterday.

New Voting Districts and Polling Places in the City of Jacksonville



ELECTION PRECINCTS
OF THE
CITY OF JACKSONVILLE
MORGAN COUNTY, ILL.

Precinct No. 1.
Polling place—Tobin's store, 1004 East Lafayette avenue.

Boundaries—North and east boundaries of the city limits. Bounded on the west by Ashland avenue, from city limits south to Independence avenue, east on Ashland avenue, south to Lafayette avenue, east to Illinois avenue, south to the Wabash railway, east to Howe street, south to East State street, east to the city limits.

Precinct No. 2.
Polling place—O'Donnell's garage, 215 East North street.

Boundaries—East State street on the west and North Main street on the east, east from North Main street on Lafayette avenue to Illinois avenue, south to the Wabash railroad, east to Howe street, south

Precinct No. 3.
Polling place—Sheppard's store, 640 North Main street.

Boundaries—The city limits on the north, south on North Main street to Lafayette avenue, west to Allen avenue, north to the city limits.

Precinct No. 4.
Polling place—Anderson's store, 801 North Main street.

Boundaries—North Main street on the east, city limits on the north, Diamond street on the west and Lafayette avenue on the south.

Precinct No. 5.
Polling place—Highlett's store, 748 West Lafayette avenue.

Boundaries—The city limits from the north and west boundaries, West Lafayette avenue the south

when Lincoln had finished his farewell address, made from the platform of his train, there was hardly a dry eye before him. Like his Gettysburg address, the words of Lincoln are inscribed deeply on Illinois history. Here is what he said that cold rainy morning:

"My friends: No one, not in my situation, can appreciate my feeling of sadness at this parting. To this place and the kindness of these people I owe everything. Here I have lived a quarter of a century, and have passed from a young to an old man. Here my children have been born, and one is buried. I now leave, not knowing when or whether ever I may return, with a task before me greater than that which rested upon Washington. Without the assistance of that Divine Being who ever attended him, I cannot suc-

ceed. With that assistance, I can not fail. Trusting in Him who can go with me, and remain with you, and be everywhere for good, let us confidently hope that all will yet be well. To His care commanding you, as I hope in your prayers you will commend me, I bid you an affectionate farewell."

The sculptors who have submitted their suggestions for the bronze memorial are Gilbert Riswold of Chicago, Albert Jaegers of New York, Andrew O'Connor of Paris, now of Washington, and Herman A. MacNeil of Long Island.

REPUBLICANS ORGANIZE
RAILROAD WORKERS.

Boston, Jan. 23.—The newly organized National Republican Association of Labor Men will have its second meeting here tomorrow. Sim-

ilar to other branches being organized in the middle west, the members

are employees of railroads. Wilson B. Flanders of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers is the president, and the vice-president is Benjamin E. Chapin of Newark, N. J., editor of the "Railroad Employee."

Railroad veterans, station agents, and all branches of organized and unorganized railroad service are being induced to join. At tomorrow's meeting plans for political activity will be discussed.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 23.—Leroy E. Pridham, twenty four years old, who took his bride to a New York hotel and lived in luxurious style while

earning only \$20 a week, will be sentenced on Monday for the embezzlement of \$5,000 from his employers, the Central Railroad.

McGILL TO SEND MEDICAL CORPS

Montreal, Que., Jan. 23.—McGill University is putting the finishing touches on its medical contribution to the European war. In April a complete camp outfit will be carried, so that the hospital may be covered with canvas. The Canadian Government, through Premier Borden and General Samuel Hughes, is greatly interested in the plan, and will supply the equipment. Principal Peterson, Professors Adams and Birkett, composed the committee which is arranging the McGill hospital squad.

The McGill hospital will be established at a point some fifty miles from the firing line, with accommodation for 520 patients. The total staff will consist of 210 persons, including 43 nurses. The equipment will be such that in time of emer-

Fayette and Grove streets.

Boundaries—West College avenue on the north, South Main street on the east, West Chambers street on the south. The west boundary is Kosciusko street from Chambers north to Anna street, west on Anna to Prairie, north on Prairie to Grove, west on Grove to Diamond, north on Diamond to College avenue.

Precinct No. 11.

Polling place—James Ball's residence, 803 South Church street.

Boundaries—South Diamond street on the west, Chambers street on the north, South Main street on the east, and Michigan avenue on the south.

Precinct No. 12.

Polling place—County building, 600 East College avenue.

Boundaries—East State street on

the north, city limits on the east, Routh street and Brook street on the south, Clay avenue on the west.

Precinct No. 15.

Polling place—Potter's store, East Chambers street and Goltra avenue.

Boundaries—Franklin street east from South Main to Clay avenue, north on Clay to Brook street, east on Brook street and Routh street to city limits, south on city limits to Morton avenue, west on Morton

avenue to South Main street, north on Main street to Franklin.

Precinct No. 16.

Polling place—Phelps house, 1103 South East street.

Boundaries—East Morton avenue on the north, city limits on the east and south to Michigan avenue, west on Michigan avenue to South Main street, north on South Main street to Morton avenue.

WILL SELECT BRONZE
TABLET DESIGN FOR LINCOLN

Art Commission Meets to Consider
Suggestions of Sculptors.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—In commemoration of that cold rainy morning, when Abraham Lincoln left his home at Springfield, Ill., to go to Washington to become President, a statue in bronze is to be erected at the state capital grounds of Illinois. Today the state art commission met to decide among the suggestions of four sculptors. The state has already appropriated \$50,000, for the competition of the sculptors.

The scene which the sculptors have tried to depict was a touching farewell of the great Illinois statesman. Bystanders have said that

brought with special services tomorrow and Monday. Bishop Woodcock was consecrated January 25, 1905 after a notable career as rector at Detroit, New Haven, Ansonia, Conn., and Baltimore.

Bishop Woodcock will tomorrow preach two special sermons, one at Christ Church in the morning and the other at St. Andrew's church in the evening. On Monday the clergy and laity of the church in Louisville will receive holy communion at Christ Church and hear a special sermon by the Bishop. On Tuesday the Bishop and Mrs. Woodcock will be tendered a reception.

BISHOP'S ANNIVERSARY
IN KENTUCKY

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Two Courses Were Open.

"Mr. Hicks and I could join the Republicans in an effort at responsible constructive political organization, or we could play the role usually commanded by parlor politicians, the viliardesque gentility, the dancing masters of journalism, that of upholder criticism. We chose the former and the parlor politicians and viliardesque journalists as promptly abused us for what had been commendable in Carl Schurz in the period from 1872 to 1876, the older parties will adopt a program or put forward candidates who can be approved by the Progressive national convention but if either of the older parties do so, it is probable that it will secure the support of the majority of the Progressives. Some few, of course, es-Colorado and Pennsylvania, will go to the Democratic party, some few, in states like New York, Indiana and Illinois will go to the Republican party, without reference to collective action by the majority."

"The course which will be followed by Progressives generally, will be determined largely by the party in power. Until a few weeks ago, Progressives looked not unfriendly on the record of the Democratic party, although they found their spokesman ungrudging in acknowledgement of its obligations to Republicans and Progressives. The new federal currency system was conceived under the direction of Nelson W. Aldrich, although somewhat modified by Representative Glass and Senator Owen. The so-called administration trust bill, written in flat contradiction of all that the Democracy said on the stump two years ago, were drafted by George T. Rublee, himself a Progressive, and were patterned on the trust triplets, the three bills for the regulation of business, introduced by Victor Murdock, of Kansas. Of the three major measures, the tariff is the only one purely Democratic in its conception and terms.

Course Distasteful to Progressives

"Since the majority party has finished the program born of the discussion, which preceded by several years its selection to office, its course has become increasingly distasteful to Progressives, who do not care for the ship purchase act, who do not believe in the Jones bill, (ready as they might be to re-invest the Philippines) and who are repelled by Democratic indifference to the demand for tariff commission and for a schedule of rural credits.

"Of course, Senator Gallinger earned no votes among the Progressives by the reintroduction of the Payne-Aldrich act, but Senator Borah, Senator Cummins and Representative Mann during the last fortnight, accurately voiced the common sentiments of growing opposition to the policy of the Democratic leaders.

"While some Democratic leaders in Illinois have called upon me to congratulate us upon our decision to help organize the assembly with the Republicans, I find that other Democrats here are very much disturbed at the prospect of an undivided opposition to the Democratic party in 1916. Until recently, they had not thought it worth while to consider the opinion of Progressives.

But now they realize that it is the administration which may reconvert many Progressives to Republicans, if the Republicans have learned the lesson of 1912."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

George W. Richardson to Howard F. Liter, quit claim deed, lot 17, Liter's addition to Literberry, \$1. Jane Butcher to George W. Richardson, quit claim deed, lot 18, Liter's addition to Literberry, \$1.

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FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

Matt Starr post G. A. R. is already taking steps looking to a suitable observance of Memorial day and especially to securing a good orator for the occasion. As men of this kind are hard to find steps are taken in good season and for that purpose a committee consisting of Comrades Lurgurs Goheen, John Minter and John Melton has been appointed to act in the matter and begin correspondence with desirable speakers for the important occasion.

PRAECIPE IS FILED.

In the suit of John W. Rynders vs. Rettie Cox, assumpst was filed with Circuit Clerk Pyatt Saturday. The complainant asks \$1,000 damages and the case will come up for hearing at the May term of court.

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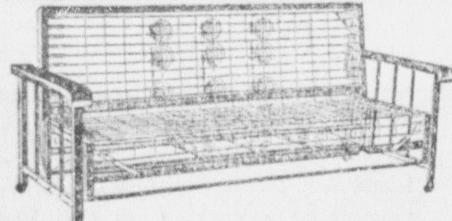
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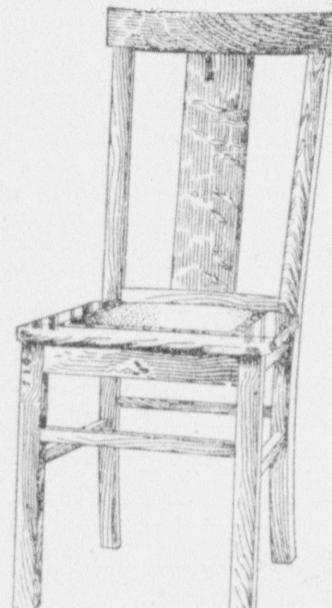
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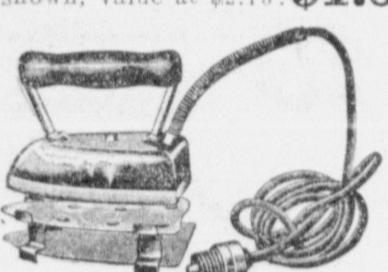
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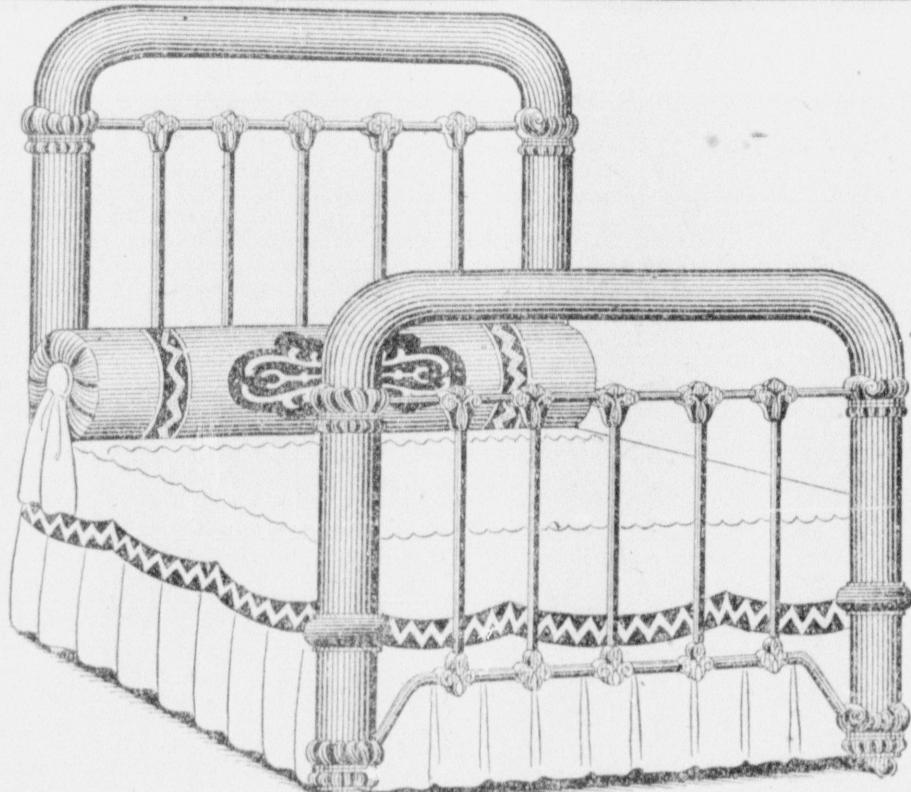
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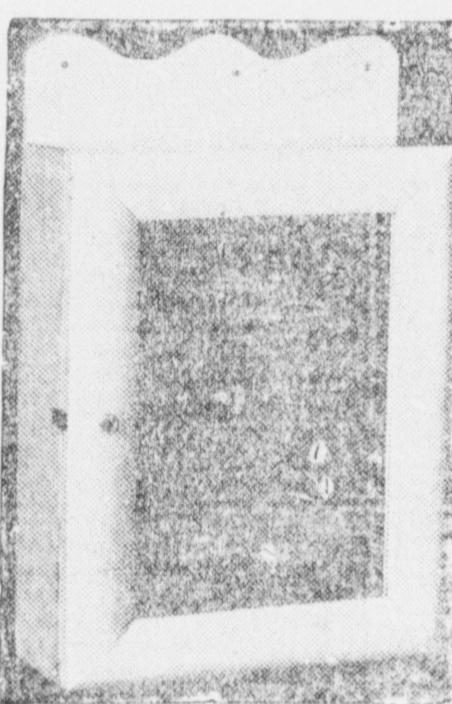
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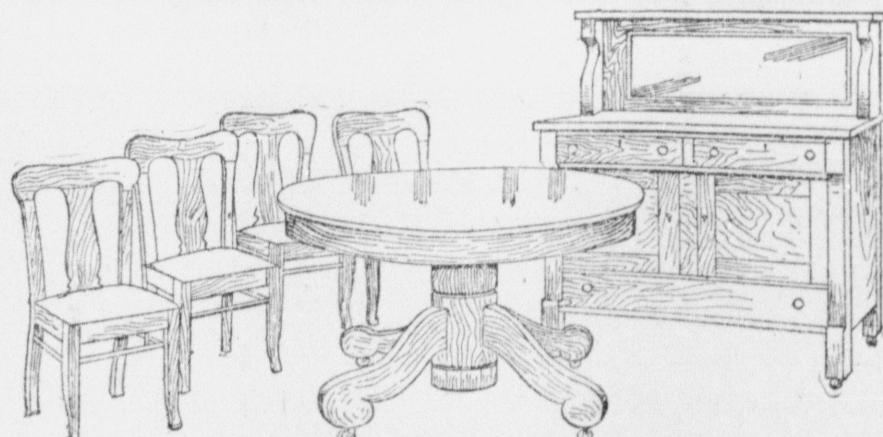
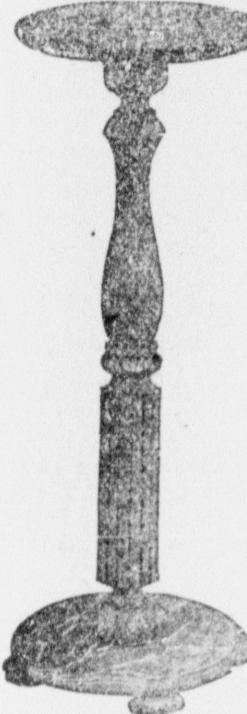


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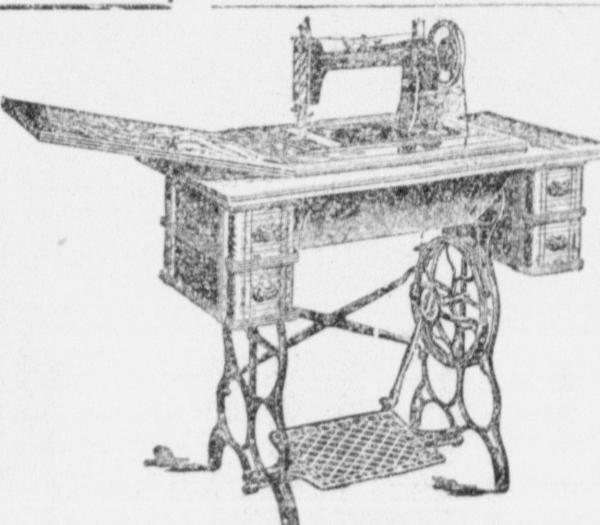


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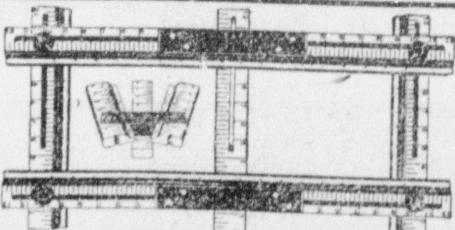
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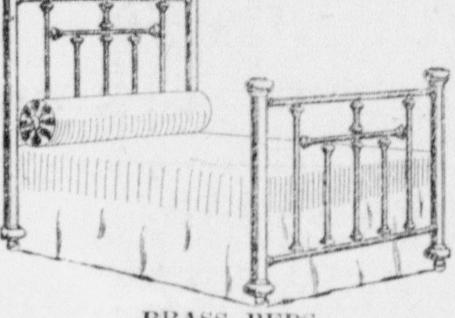
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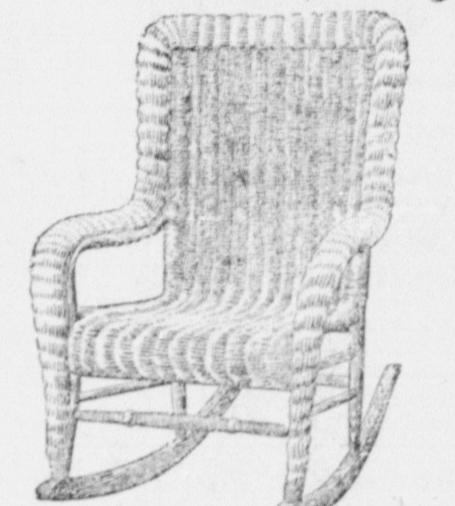
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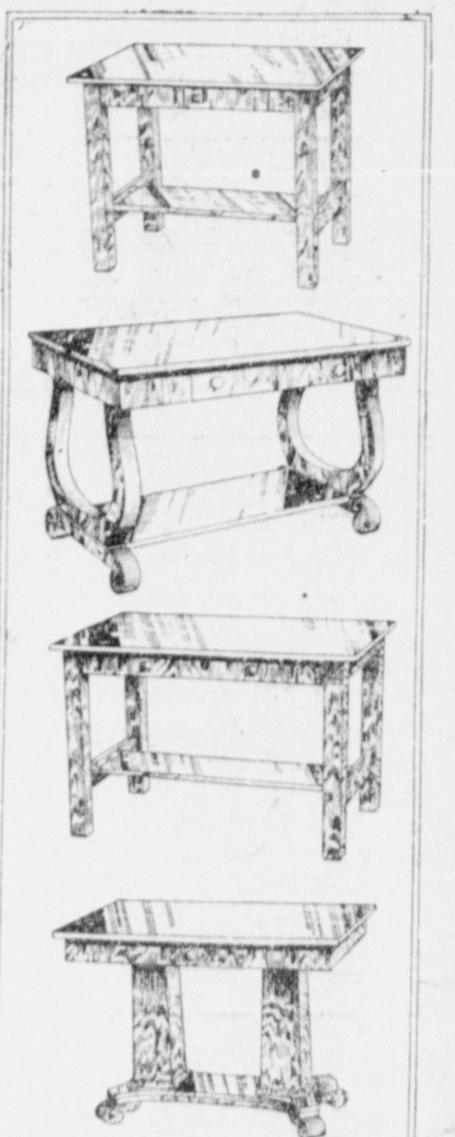
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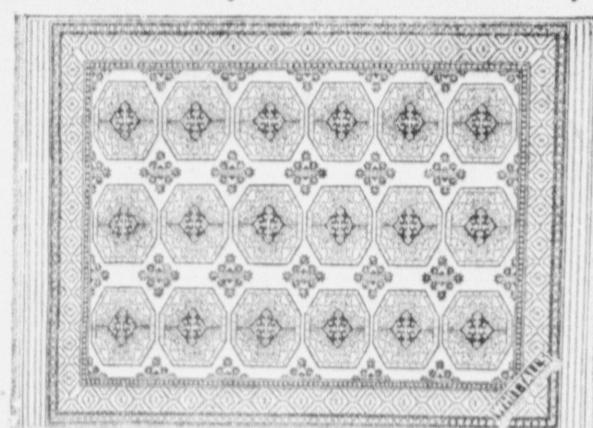
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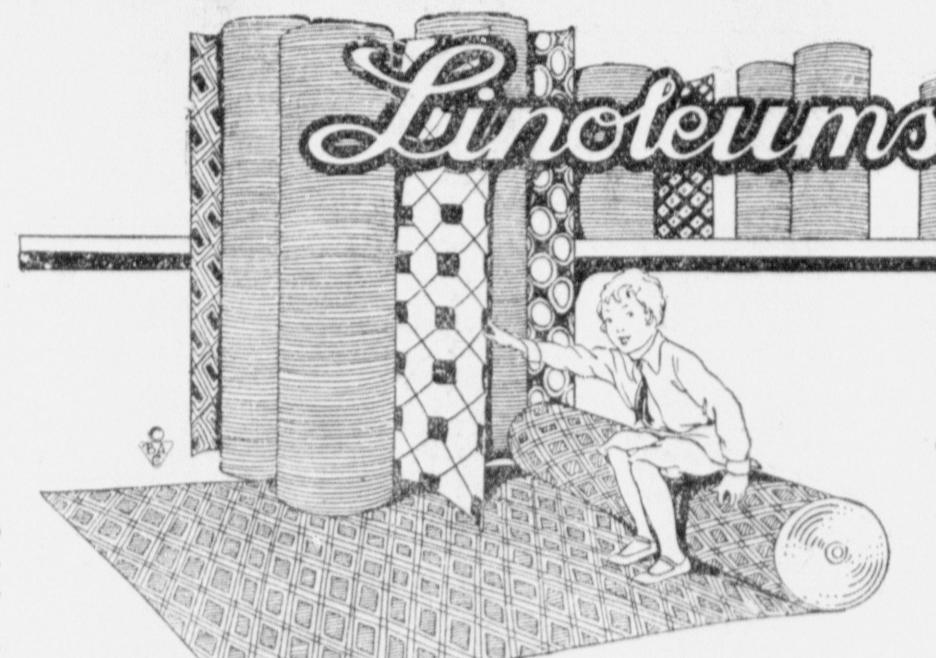


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FAST FRANKLIN FIVE CLEANS UP ON WHITE HALL

Franklin High School Basketball Team Defeats Visitors, 27 to 7.

The Franklin high school basketball five again demonstrated their skill in the game by playing the husky White Hall team to a standstill. The squad that met defeat at the hands of the Franklin players last evening at Franklin is the same that trimmed the Rount College high school team so badly on Friday night. The contest at Franklin Saturday did not lack for thrills as the game was fast and furious from the start. The White Hall boys were a bit outclassed when it came to team work and throwing baskets.

The line-up and score of the game follows:

Franklin	FB	FT	TP
Berschneider, c			
Luttrell, c	7	5	17
Taney, rf	4	2	10
Gates, lf			
Gray, rg			
Claude Hart, lg			
Bergschneider, lg			
Total	11	5	27
White Hall	FB	FT	TP
Rhodes, rf	3		
Atterberry, lf			
Hyle, c	1		
Gardner, rg			
Bridgewater, lf			
Total	3	1	7

Next Friday night, Jan. 29th, Franklin will meet the Chapin basketball team at Franklin. Manager W. L. Teaney of Franklin still has two open dates for games next month, Feb. 12th and 26th, which he would like to fill. The fact that Franklin has won five of the seven games which they have played this year may make these open dates hard to fill. The Franklin boys are fast and hope to defeat the Chapin boys next week. Franklin has played Palmyra, Girard, Jacksonville, two games with Waverly, Manchester and Whitfield. Girard defeated them 21 to 20 and Waverly defeated them 20 to 15.

The scorer of last night's game was George Hart. Tim keeper, Tyle Hart. Referee, Charles Ryan.

MORIARY

Jacob Peters, a cigar maker, residing at 335 North East street, died recently at the home of his parents, Jacob and Mary Peters, in Burlington, Iowa.

Mr. Peters had been in poor health for some time and last October went to the home of his parents hoping to get some benefit by the change but without avail. Death was due to a complication of diseases.

Mr. Peters was born in Burlington, Iowa, Sept. 13th, 1882 and there grew to manhood, enjoying the privileges of the schools of that place. He was married October first, 1912 to Miss Bertha Dunn of this city and was the father of one son, Walter, 18 months old. He was employed in the factory of McCarthy and Gehrt and was a steady, valuable man.

He is survived by his wife and son Walter, his parents, two brothers, Michael and John of Burlington, Iowa; three sisters, Mrs. Braner of this city and Misses Lena and Susie at home.

The funeral was conducted in the St. John Roman Catholic church at Burlington and the cigar makers' union of this city sent a beautiful contribution of flowers.

Mrs. Peters and son have returned to this city.

Bogle

Mrs. Walter C. Bogle is in receipt of word from Kansas City telling of the death of her brother-in-law, Ralph E. Bogle, who died there Friday morning after a prolonged illness. Mr. Bogle's home is in Pittsburgh, Kan., and after several months treatment in the former city he was almost ready to return to his home. A relapse came suddenly and he passed away in a short time.

Mrs. Bogle is a sister of Mrs. Rabjohn and Mrs. Alice Goodrich of this city and lived here prior to her marriage with Mr. Bogle in 1890. She has in Jacksonville many friends who will sympathize with her in this time of sorrow.

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3 large cans Kidney beans 25c

3 large cans string beans 25c

4 lbs. Japan rice 25c

5 lbs. loose rolled oats 25c

6 lbs. flake hominy 25c

6 lbs. cracked hominy 25c

Loose raisins, per pound 10c

2 lbs. prunes 25c

Kraut, per gallon 25c

3 quarts cranberries 25c

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ALWAYS CASH

GRIGGSVILLE WINS FROM JACKSONVILLE

PIKE COUNTY TEAM IS VICTOR
BY SCORE OF 30 TO 16.

Game was delayed one hour and a half over wrangling about referee, both sides finally agreeing on Coach Harmon—Visitors whip up in last half.

The Griggsville high school basketball team defeated J. H. S. high in the new gymnasium Saturday evening by a score of 30 to 16. The game was preceded by an hour and a half wrangle over who should referee the contest, both sides finally agreeing on Coach Harmon of Illinois college. The game started at 9:45 and was concluded at 10:35. There was a big crowd present and the high school band under the leadership of Fred Goodrich furnished music.

The dispute as to who should referee the game somewhat overshadowed the real contest and for awhile it appeared as though there would be no game. The trouble arose over Griggsville refusing to stand for Clarence Fuller refereeing the contest and Jacksonville's stand against Kelly of Pittsfield as referee.

About a week ago Principal Moore of the Griggsville school wrote a letter to Principal Stone asking if Jacksonville would accept as referee, Mr. Kelly of Pittsfield. The letter was handed over to Prof. T. P. Carter, faculty athletic manager, who answered it Wednesday, stating that the local school did not wish for Mr. Kelly to act as an official. Mr. Moore contended that he did not receive any reply from Principal Stone, so brought Mr. Kelly along. Mr. Moore said he would be satisfied if Jacksonville would agree to let Fuller referee and Kelly act as umpire. This Jacksonville refused to do.

The proposition finally stood that Griggsville would not play if Kelly was not given either the job of referee or umpire and Jacksonville held out that the game would never be played if Kelly were to take part. Following the long and heated debate, both sides finally agreed to let Coach Harmon of Illinois college act as both referee and umpire and after his selection about fifteen minutes more was wasted in getting the game started.

Faculty Manager Carter stated last night that he much regretted that the crowd had such a long and tedious wait, and he promised that the like would not occur again. He thought that Mr. Moore should have called him by phone when he learned that Jacksonville refused to play under Mr. Kelly, and that some other official could have been named.

Griggsville has an excellent team and the fact that they have been playing basketball all fall and winter gave them a big advantage over the Jacksonville quintet. They displayed better team work than Jacksonville and were deserving of the honors that they won. Brierly, left guard, was put out by reason of unnecessary roughness.

Jacksonville played better ball in the first half than in the second, the score being 15 to 10 in the visitors' favor at the end of the first half. It seemed hard work for the J. H. S. men to get anywhere in the second half and they showed the strain of the long trip to Canton where they played Friday evening. Coach Bland used as substitutes Reynolds, at center, Fred Mayer as left forward, Swain as right guard and Julian Pyatt, left guard.

The following was the score:

J. H. S.	F.B.	F.T.	T.P.
Boxell, rf	2	0	4
E. Pyatt, lf	0	0	0
Fred Mayer	1	0	2
Maddox, rg	1	0	2
Hemicough, lg	0	0	0
Myers, c	3	0	6
Reynolds, e	1	0	2
Totals	8	0	16

Griggsville	F.B.	F.T.	T.P.
Parrand, lf	5	0	10
Moore, rr	5	4	14
Stead, c	0	0	0
Norman, rg	2	0	4
Brierly, lf	1	0	2
Totals	12	4	30

Officials—Referee, Harmon (Illinois college) Score keeper, Paul Wells; Time keeper, J. H. Rayhill.



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MATRIMONIAL

McQuown-Curtis.

The marriage of A. Clare McQuown of Roodhouse and Julia Curtis of Manchester took place Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the parsonage of Centenary M. E. church Rev. G. W. Flage officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McQuown of Roodhouse, in which place they will make their home. The groom is a traction engineer. Miss Helen Barnes of Manchester witnessed the ceremony.

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DRAGGING THE ROADS.

John Kennedy, who resides north of Arcadia two miles, dragged the roads in his community just before the big snow, which proved a big help toward solving the rough road proposition. He worked from his home to Arcadia, thence to Litterberry and west of his place. Mr. Kennedy has been receiving the glad hand of the people of his community and Mr. Kennedy suggests to his farmer friends to get busy with the drag whenever the opportunity presents itself.

MEDICAL CLUB MEETS.

The Medical club held their regular meeting Saturday evening with Dr. B. S. Gaffey. The leader was Dr. T. O. Hardesty and the subject presented and discussed was "Lobar Pneumonia."

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WIDMAYER'S NEW MARKET OPENS WITH LARGE BUSINESS

Widmayer's East State street market in the May building opposite the postoffice opened for business Saturday in a very satisfactory way. Fred I. Gibson, the manager, and his assistants were kept busy all through the day and the many customers expressed their approval of the attractive and sanitary equipment. Mr. Widmayer's long training in the meat business has given him a special knowledge of the requirements from a Jacksonville market and he is acknowledged to be a shrewd buyer. The prices he is making now on high class meats are proving very attractive and it is his intention to continually share with the public any special offerings he may secure.

TO STUDENTS OF ROUTT!

A bob sled party, can you beat it for good old fashioned fun? Phone Cherry's for an outfit. The sleighing is ideal.

AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH TODAY

A very unique service will be held at the Central Christian church Sunday morning at 10:45 o'clock. At that time representatives of the Men and Millions Team, of which Mr. A. E. Cory of Cincinnati is the leader, will be present. Five men, representing the various missionary organizations of the church, will deliver short talks. This will be an inspirational service and all members and friends of the church are urged to attend. There will be no appeal for money at this time.

Mr. Parsons will preach in the evening at 7:30. The subject of the sermon will be, What Will You Do With Jesus?

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Miss Bess Bartlett received word yesterday of the serious illness of her brother, Arthur in Peoria and will go to his bedside this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. James Breckon who during the past year have resided at 305 Woodland Place have gone to Palmyra where they will make their home.

CARAMEL ICE CREAM.

Order it today from Mullenix and Hamilton and know that it's the best in the city.

HELD SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL.

Mr. J. Harry White has returned from a visit with his parents Rev. and Mrs. George E. Scrimger of Newman, Ill. Rev. Mr. Scrimger has just concluded a most successful revival. The members of his congregation Friday evening presented him with two handsome leather chairs.

SLEIGHING DAYS

Are uncertain, few and far between. It's good now. Arrange today with Cherry for a cutter.

WINCHESTER

Miss Ellen Markillie returned Saturday from Alsey where she has been visiting since Wednesday.

Joseph Henson, John Pieper and son, Edward Pieper, have returned from St. Louis where they attended the trade convention. Mr. Henson was present at the banquet and both men report a very successful session.

Mrs. Alfred Schultze returned Saturday to her home in Beardstown after a visit of several days in Winchester.

Thomas Callens of Chicago is making a visit with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Callens.

Miss Lorena Grady is making a visit with her parents in Merritt.

Andrew Allen of Chapin was a visitor here Saturday.

Miss Lucille North is kept at home by a few days' illness.

J. B. C. AND J. H. S. STUDENTS:

Just the day for a bob sled party. It's no trouble to keep warm in one of Cherry's bobs.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE.

Last evening a goodly company assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis and armed with useful articles proceeded to the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Beverly on South West street. The affair was managed by Mrs. A. J. Jones and W. H. Williams and was a complete success throughout. The self invited guests knew well how to have a good time and so they at once proceeded to make themselves at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Beverly were truly taken by surprise but the time was happily spent in a social manner and the recipients were truly grateful for the acceptable presents brought. The guests were Mrs. A. J. Jones, Mrs. Alice Scott, Miss Clara Davis, Miss Bessie Johnson, Mrs. Hanners, Mrs. Wilburn, Miss Mamie Sallee, Charles Tinsley, Mrs. Lucy Bolden, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis, Miss Mabel Floyd, Mrs. Lucinda West, Mrs. Alice Hill, Mrs. Violet Brown, Louis Finney and W. H. Williams.

NOTICE.

**FIRST SHIPMENT OF NEW
SPRING SUITS JUST RECEIVED
AT HERMAN'S.**

Mrs. Wm. White and Mrs. Emery Halsted, both of Toulon, left for their homes Saturday after visiting for two weeks with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gibson of Woodland Place.

SHIPPING DAYS

Are uncertain, few and far between. It's good now. Arrange today with Cherry for a cutter.

WILL EXPLAIN MISSIONARY PLAN AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH TODAY

Prominent Men in Religious World Will Address Meeting at Church This Morning.

The world-wide "Men and Millions" movement will be explained and discussed by men prominent in the religious world at the Central Christian church at this morning's service. All who are interested in world betterment and improvement should attend this service and hear these able men give details of this work.

Those who are in the city and who will address the meeting are: Dr. R. H. Crossfield, president of Transylvania University of Lexington, Ky.; G. W. Mackley of Kansas City, head of the church extension board; Dr. R. J. Dye, missionary of Africa; Dr. H. C. Hurd, a specialist on immigration; and A. E. Cory, secretary of the Men and Millions movement.

The purpose of this great movement is to secure a thousand young men for the home and foreign missionary field and to raise money with which to support them in the work.

WITH THE SICK.

Edgar Wait, who has been ill at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. O. Wait, of Westminster street, has almost recovered.

Mrs. Edward S. Collins of Prentiss expects to leave Monday morning for Chicago to spend a few days with her husband, who is a patient in the Presbyterian hospital.

August Graubner, who is a patient at Our Savior's hospital, underwent an operation Friday evening and he is a very sick man.

John Quinn of Murrayville was taken to Our Savior's hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Walbaum of Alexander, who has been a patient at Our Savior's hospital, where she underwent an operation, has gone to her home.

Lillian Courier, the two years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Courier of near Pleasant Plains, is a patient at Our Savior's hospital and may have to undergo an operation.

Mrs. Emma Berry of East Court street, was quite painfully bruised as the result of a fall inside her home Friday.

Mrs. Wesley Smith is ill at her home at 821 North Main street.

Walter McCormick who has been ill at the home of his brother, William, is improving.

Dawson Darley, a student at the college, has been sick for some days at the home of his aunt, Mrs. William McCormick on Grove street, but is recovering.

Milton Long of South Diamond street, who recently suffered a paralytic stroke, shows slight improvement in his condition.

Miss Anna Long, a teacher at the Fourth Ward school, has been detained at her home for the past three days on account of a severe cold.

Miss Brock of 302 Woodland

Place, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is now improved.

Little Harold Tanner, son of Prof. and Mrs. Rollin Tanner, has ten-sitis.

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CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

The Woman's College Guild will meet Wednesday afternoon at the college. After the business session an informal sewing will be held.

The regular monthly meeting of the Rev. James Caldwell chapter D. A. R. will be held Tuesday, Jan. 26th at three p. m. with Mrs. Carl E. Black, 1302 West State street.

The paper of the afternoon will be on the subject of "Romance of American History" and will be given by Miss Effie Epler. Special music will be given for the occasion.

The members will please bear in mind that this is the time for the payment of annual dues.

The Literary Union will meet Monday evening with Thomas Worthington. Subject, "Benjamin Franklin." Leader, Dr. E. F. Baker.

The Wednesday Class will meet with Mrs. Woodman.

The Monday Conversation Club will meet with Miss Jeanette Powell in Hockenhull Building Monday afternoon at 2:30.

The next meeting of the South Side Circle will be held Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. C. Bradish on W. College avenue.

The East Side Tuesday club will hold a meeting with Miss Mary Knoebelberg of 860 South Main street, Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock. The midwinter picnic of the club is to be given at this time, and the program committee has made plans for a very unique entertainment.

Mrs. O'Neill, East State street milliner, will shortly have her full stock of choice spring millinery.

ORDERS SEALED VERDICT.

Springfield, Ills., Jan. 23.—A sealed verdict was ordered by Judge Humphrey in the United States district court today in the case of Percy B. Sullivan, of Decatur, president of the Assured National Mutual Fire Insurance company, charged with using the mails to defraud.

The case went to the jury late today.

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MEET AT MORTON SCHOOL.

Members of the Third Ward Parent-Teachers' association will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Morton school. The subject of the meeting will be "What to Eat" with Mrs. A. C. Baldwin leading instead of Mrs. W. E. Newman.

Those wishing to join the association or renew membership are requested to come prepared.

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